DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7·30	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·55	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Weeds are being removed from paddy fields.

State of standing crops.—Want of rain is felt.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Weeding and sowing in paddy fields are reported to be going on in parts of the Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks.

State of standing crops.—These are reported to be in good condition; though the ragi crop needs rain.

Harvest and outturn.—Early sown ragi fields in parts the Kankanhalli Taluk and groundnuts and mustard in parts of the Anekal Taluk are being harvested.

Yield.—In the Anekal Taluk groundnut 8 annas and mustard 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. It is reported from all the taluks that rain is urgently needed.

11. Except for plague in the Begur, Agara, Adagodi and Cholanaikanahalli of the Bangalore Taluk, Madeswara, Vanigarhalli and Tippur of the Dodballapur Taluk and Koppa of the Anekal Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" broken out among cattle in Thore Hosur village of the Channapatna Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing of Vaisakhi paddy is carried on in parts of the Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Mulbagal Taluks.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and horse gram in the Mulbagal Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Natu ragi in the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; same in the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari and sugar cane are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in parts of the Malur and Bowringpet Taluks and for cholera in the Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks; public health is good.

12. But for a few cases of "Chappe roga" in Bagepalli Town, cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in the Tumkur Taluk and jola in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Jola in the Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas; sugar cane in the Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks and in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; ragi in the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield from 2 to 8 annas; Natu ragi in the Sira Taluk, yield 8 annas; and paddy in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Wet crops are reported to be in good condition. Dry crops are stated to be withering for want of rain in parts of the Sira and Kunigal Taluks. The standing crops urgently require rain in all the taluks of the district.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is good, except for plague at Hosakére in the Gubbi Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the district, except in three villages of the Sira Taluk, where "Chappe roga" prevails. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Bengal gram in parts of the Yedatore and Nanjangud Taluks and coriander in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, til, horse gram, green gram black gram, tadagani, castor sugar cane, tobacco, chillies, Bengal gram, haraka and samé are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of the T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks and sugar cane in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Yedatore, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in parts of the Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Dodda ragi, paddy and sugar cane in the Hassan Taluk; barawadi and transplanted paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, avare, castor, chillies, horse gram, black gram, green gram and tadagani in the Arkalgud Taluk; paddy, sugar cane, horse gram and togari in the Belur Taluk; paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari, ragi, gingelly, haraka, navane, horse gram and samè in the Channarayapatna Taluk; ragi, horse gram, castor, chillies, avare, togari, groundnuts, gingelly and cotton in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, dodda ragi, castor, chillies, togari, coriander and avare in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; dodda ragi, samé and chillies in the Arsikere Taluk and paddy in dry fields in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are being harvested.

Yield.—Paddy in the Arkalgud Taluk, 2 to 8 annas; and sugar cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. It is reported by all the Amildars of the taluks of this district that more rain is urgently needed for paddy crop under small tanks and for miscellaneous crops.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Hassan Taluk in Hassan town and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, and cholera in one village of the Hassan Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Yennegar jola and Bengal gram are being sown in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane throughout the district; ragi and jola in the Shimoga Taluk; horse gram and ragi in the Shikarpur Taluk; ragi in the Sorab Taluk; and the dry crops in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Shimoga Taluk; ragi, jola, til, navane, green gram, black gram, wheat and paddy in the Channagiri Taluk; ragi and paddy in the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; and arecanut in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in the Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks and small-pox in the Shimoga, Channagiri and Tirthahalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are healthy, except in parts of the Honnali and Sagar Taluks, where they are said to be suffering from "foot and mouth disease." and in parts of the Santebennur hobli of the Channagiri Taluk, where they are suffering from "throat disease."

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Garlic, onions and menthya in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk; and Bengal gram in parts of the Tarikere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane, paddy, ragi, coffee, areca, cardamom, castor, togari, avare and horse gram in the Chikmagalur Taluk; ragi, jola, cotton, castor, coriander, Bengal gram, paddy, sugar cane, horse gram, navané, wheat, samé, gingelly and baragu in the Kadur Taluk; paddy, sugar cane, ragi, avare, jola, chillies, castor, horse gram, wheat and coffee in the Tarikere Taluk; areca, sugar cane, ragi, cardamom and pepper in the Koppa Taluk; paddy, ragi, coffee, sugar cane, horse gram and gingelly in the Mudgere Taluk; areca, coffee, paddy and sugar cane in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk; and areca and paddy in Sringeri. All these crops are reported to be in good condition, except in parts of the Kadur Taluk, where ragi and samé are reported to be slightly fading for want of rain.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, areca, cardamom and sugar cane in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; jola, ragi, samé, chillies and sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk; ragi, jola, samé and navane in the Tarikere Taluk yield 8 to 12 annas; and areca and cardamom in the Koppa Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. One or two showers of rain are needed for the standing crops. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be suffering from "foot and mouth disease" in some villages of the Koppa Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, jola, castor, cotton, navanè, sajjè, samé, haraka, chillies, sugar cane, horse gram, black gram, green gram, togari and avare, are reported to be in good condition, except in the Hosdurga Taluk, where they are withering away for want of rain.

Seeds sown.—Bili jola in the Hosdurga Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk; horse gram, navane and coriander in the Hosdurga Taluk; and wheat and Bengal gram in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur, Holalkere and Molakalmuru Taluks, yield 8 annas; jola in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere and Molakalmuru Taluks, yield 8 annas; sesamum in the Davangere Taluk, yield 8 annas; and navane in the Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

REVENUE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
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